

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

JOAQUÍN CARCAÑO; PAYTON GREY
MCGARRY; ANGELA GILMORE;
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF
NORTH CAROLINA; and EQUALITY
NORTH CAROLINA,

Plaintiffs,

v.

PATRICK MCCRORY, in his official capacity
as Governor of North Carolina; ROY
COOPER III, in his official capacity as
Attorney General of North Carolina;
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA;
BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; and
W. LOUIS BISSETTE, JR., in his official
capacity as Chairman of the Board of
Governors of the University of North Carolina,

Defendants.

No. 1:16-cv-236-TDS-JEP

NOTICE OF SPECIAL APPEARANCE

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.1(d), please take notice of the special appearance of Chase B. Strangio of American Civil Liberties Union Foundation as counsel of record for the Plaintiffs in the above-captioned civil action.

Mr. Strangio certifies that he is an active member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York. Mr. Strangio further certifies that he understands that by

entering an appearance he submits to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the Court for any misconduct in connection with the above-captioned civil action for which he is specially appearing and that he will ensure that an attorney who is familiar with the case and has authority to control the litigation will be at all conferences, hearings, trials, and other proceedings.

Mr. Strangio is appearing in the above-captioned civil action in association with Christopher A. Brook of the American Civil Liberties Union for North Carolina Legal Foundation. Mr. Brook is an active member in good standing of the bar of this Court. Mr. Brook certifies that he will remain responsible to this Court for the conduct of the litigation and acknowledges that he must sign all pleadings and papers, except for certificates of service. Mr. Brook further certifies he will be present during pretrial conferences, potentially dispositive proceedings and at trial.

Dated: April 5, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

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